

FRANCE RESENTS SUSPICION OF THE OTHER NATIONS

YANKEE PLANE STAYED IN AIR OVER 24 HOURS

Another World Record
Captured By U. S.
Aviators.

BULLETIN

Mineola, N. Y., Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Larsen monoplane, which this morning broke the world's continuous record of 24 hours, 19 minutes and 7 seconds, descended shortly after 11:15 a. m. after having been in the air 26 hours, 19 minutes and 35 seconds.

The official times were:
Start yesterday morning at 8:58:15.
Finished this morning at 11:17:50.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Mineola, N. Y., Dec. 30.—A new world's record for continuous flying was established today by Edward Stinson, pilot of an all metal monoplane and his mechanic, Lloyd Berland, when they surpassed the mark of 24 hours, 19 minutes and seven seconds made in France in June 1920, by Lucian Boussoutout and Jean Bernard.

Stinson and Berland commenced their flight at Roosevelt Field at 8:58 a. m. yesterday and at 9:20 a. m. today were still in the air with no signs of descending.

John M. Larsen, manufacturer of the plane, said that the machine might have stayed up until night, as there was enough gasoline aboard.

Seven judges watched the monoplane circle over Mineola, Garden City and Hempstead. In addition there were many unofficial observers. Observers pointed out that whereas previous efforts to establish an endurance record had been made in the most favorable season, this flight was made with the mercury near the zero mark, to the accompaniment of strong winds and snow flurries.

Is Fourth U. S. Record.

The Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce hailed the flight as a fitting climax to the achievements of American aviation in 1921, when four world records were made by Yankee birdmen. The other three were:

August 15.—A Leonard monoplane, flying solo, rising to 19,500 feet with four passengers, established an efficiency and passenger record for a ship of its class.

Sept. 23.—Lieut. J. A. McCready of the army air service rose in an aeroplane to 37,800 feet at Dayton, Ohio, shattering the altitude mark of 33,114 feet by Major Rudolph Schroeder.

Nov. 3.—Percy Acosta, in a Curtiss navy racer with a speed of 174.7 miles an hour for a 150 mile course, broke the record for a closed course in the Pulitzer Trophy Race at Omaha.

Paris, Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—The meeting of British and French financiers and business men at the French foreign office this afternoon to grapple with the European economic situation is regarded in French circles as one of the most important experiments since the first efforts to bring Europe back to a peace basis.

It is generally believed that if the conference organizes an international consortium of bankers, merchants and manufacturers, it will have a marked influence on the future of Europe.

All idea of making an enormous loan, which all financiers agree is necessary to get on foot the work of restoring Europe economically, has been abandoned until it is seen what the supreme council meeting at Cannes may work out, in connection with the business men's conference here.

Mrs. McCormick Gets Both Chicago Homes

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, who obtained a divorce from Harold F. McCormick, millionaire head of the International Harvester Company, last Wednesday, will retain both the McCormick town house and the Lake Forest estate, according to a new announcement as to the division of the property today.

A statement issued by the counsel for Mrs. McCormick said:

"Under the adjustment of property rights agreed upon between the parties, Mrs. McCormick will acquire by gift and purchase the city residence on Lake Shore Drive, and by purchase the residence in Lake Forest; and Mr. and Mrs. McCormick release all dower rights in the property of each other."

ITALIAN GENERAL DEAD

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Rome, Dec. 30.—General Giovanni Minerva, commander of the Italian expedition in Albania, and former governor of Tripoli, is dead.

WARNING!

Manager Sam N. Watson of the Dixon Pure Ice Co., fears someone is going to lose one's life if his warnings concerning the condition of the ice are not heeded more generally. He stated this morning that the ice at any place west of the Reynolds' Wire Company's east end plant the old Fargo shoe factory is positively dangerous, the warm water from that factory and the thaw of Wednesday having made it extremely soft. No one should attempt to walk or skate on the ice at any point west of that factory, he says; but skating is perfectly safe between the little island and the south bank of the river.

BOY'S RIGHT HAND PRACTICALLY TORN OFF IN ACCIDENT

Paul Frye More Seriously
Hurt Than Was
Anticipated.

Dr. E. S. Murphy attending Paul Frye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Frye, caretakers of the County Home, found it necessary to amputate practically all of the right hand yesterday afternoon following the hunting accident which occurred about 1 o'clock in a field near the county home. Four fingers and a large part of the hand was so badly torn by the shot, that only the thumb was saved.

Paul, together with two of his high school companions, Joe Lett and Donald Rosecrans, all armed with guns, left the county home to hunt rabbits going south from the home toward Eldena along the Illinois Central highway. The accident happened only a short distance from the village. Paul carried a shot gun of an old type and Donald Rosecrans a .22 caliber rifle. About a quarter of a mile north of the village, the boys sat down on a log and were shooting at a target with a rifle. Paul had shot the target and passed the rifle to Donald, picking up his shot gun.

While Donald and Joe were watching the target, the shot gun was exploded. Both boys at first believed their companion had fired the shot in a playful manner to scare them. Neither of the boys saw the shooting and knew nothing of the accident until their attention was attracted by Paul's groaning from the pain. When they turned and saw his right hand hanging limply at his side and bleeding profusely, fortunately all three remained collected and started for Eldena.

Boys Assisted Comrade.
Joe assisted his wounded companion while Donald carried the guns. When they had gone a short distance they met William Hoyle, who resides near the county home. Mr. Hoyle was driving home from Eldena in a Ford car. The car was immediately pressed into service and Donald Rosecrans accompanied his wounded companion to the Dixon hospital, tying a handkerchief above the lacerated hand and pressing his fingers against the arteries in the wrist to stop the flow of blood. Joe Lett did not accompany them to Dixon, but returned to the county home.

The wounded young man was weakened by the loss of blood but retained his reason and directed the driver of the car to take him to the hospital. At noon today, Paul was suffering intensely pain, but it was hoped that the thumb and a part of the hand could be saved.

Odd Fellows Will Install Officers

Officers of Dixon lodge, No. 39, I. O. O. F., will be installed at a special meeting to be held Monday evening at the Odd Fellows hall. Following the installation an oyster supper will be enjoyed by the membership.

Former Grand High Priest R. A. M. Dead

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Mt. Vernon, Ill., Dec. 30.—Former Judge A. D. Webb, who retired as Grand High Priest of Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Illinois died here last night.

WEATHER

FRIDAY, DEC. 30, 1921.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago and vicinity:—Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; lowest temperature slightly above freezing; Saturday unsettled; somewhat colder by afternoon or night; fresh to strong southwest winds to-night shifting to northwest by Saturday night.

Illinois:—Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; Saturday unsettled; somewhat colder by afternoon or night.

SARRAUT SAYS DISTRUST MUST NOT BE ALLOWED

Some Progress Reported
from Naval Conference Today.

Washington, Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—Albert Sarraut, head of the French arms conference delegation, at the meeting today of the conference naval committee, declared in substance that France was beginning to be regarded with suspicion but other powers represented in the Washington meeting and that this could not go on.

Washington, Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—The American proposal for the limitation of auxiliary naval craft to a maximum of 10,000 tons displacement was understood to have been virtually agreed upon at the morning session today of the arms conference naval committee.

All of the powers' delegations accepted the American proposal except the French, who while holding formal approval in abeyance, said such approval was expected.

AWAIT WORD ON U-BOATS

Washington, Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—Decision on the American proposal to outlaw entirely the use of submarines against merchant craft was awaited today from three of the five powers—France, Italy and Japan—when the naval committee of the arms conference resumed discussion of the second Root proposal for a new rule in international law to accomplish this purpose.

Formal approval of this proposal was given by Great Britain yesterday during its brief consideration, which followed agreement in principle by all the powers. To the first article of the Root resolutions reaffirming existing rules of naval warfare and their strict application to submarine operations against merchant craft.

The proposal to prohibit submarine operations against merchant vessels went over for further committee discussion today with a proposed amendment by the British delegates whereby the five powers would agree finally between themselves to such prohibition without awaiting world assent to such a proposal. The amendment was offered after the suggestion had been accepted by Mr. Root, author of the resolution, and the discussion (Continued on Page 2)

T. J. MILLER HEADS LEGION FOR NEXT YEAR

T. Jason Miller was elected Commander of Dixon Post No. 12, American Legion, at the annual meeting of the veterans held at their hall last evening, which was characterized by some excellent reports from the retiring officers and the presentation and passage of a resolution committing the post to a campaign for the erection of a Memorial building in Dixon. Other officers elected by the Post were:

Finance Officer—John L. Davies.
Chaplain—William P. Kennedy.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Arthur C. Hand.
Executive Committee—Sherwood Dixon, Walter M. Smith and Royal Fitzsimmons.

Think All Utilities Can Bear Reduction

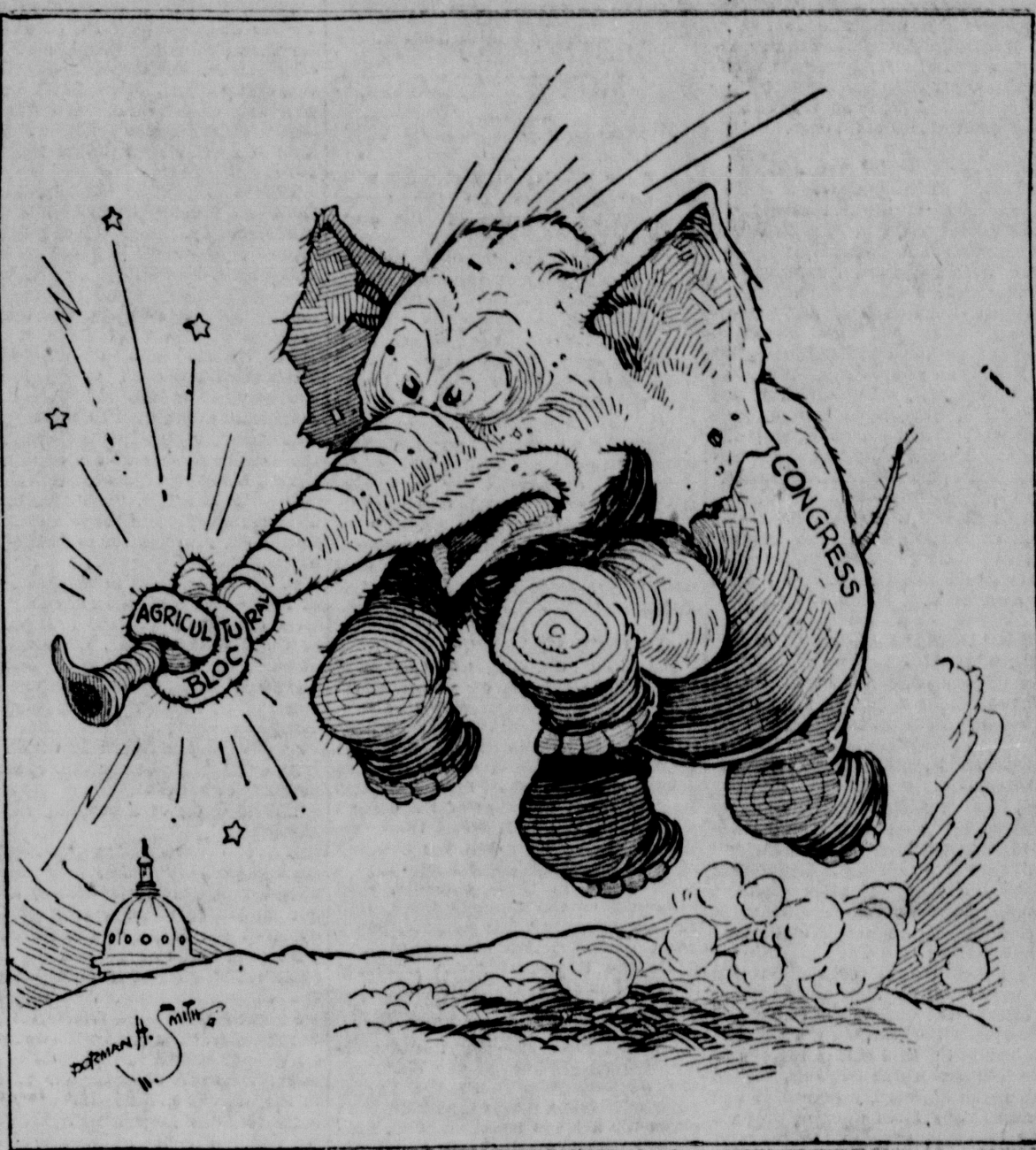
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Belief that the time has come when "all utilities will bear a reduction," is expected in the annual report of the Illinois Commerce Commission being prepared by Julius Johnson, secretary of the Commission.

The report describes the citation of the Chicago Elevated, Gas & Telephone Companies for hearings regarding lower rates and reports that numerous differences have already been adjusted in connection with several utilities in towns down state.

Dixon Bowlers Win from Amboy Champs

Hartzell's bowling team, composed of some of the best in Dixon, journeyed to Amboy last evening and met the Amboy champions in the closest contest the Dixon men have ever been engaged in. When three hard and hot games had been rolled, the Dixon bunch was one pin to the good, the total scores being 2662 to 2661.

A KNOTTY PROBLEM, AS IT WERE



HOLSTEIN BREEDERS OF STATE IN GREAT MEETING IN DIXON

Inspected Testing Station
and Heard Fine Addresses Here.

When former Governor Frank O. Lowden, in his speech Thursday afternoon before the State Holstein-Friesian association held here in the Methodist church, declared that the growth of the co-operative movement depends entirely upon the work of the farmer in the local community he struck the keynote of the co-operative plan. He declared that the local farmers must first put into practice what the state and national associations desire to do as concerning a co-operative program.

Former Governor Lowden was warmly greeted by the one hundred and fifty members of the association present, the entire body rising and cheering the former chief executive of Illinois.

Col. Lowden is the president of the National Association of pure bred Holstein breeders. Naturally he was interested in the national organization, but what he said in his brief, but very interesting and enthusiastic address, led all to believe that his heart and soul were in the community farmer, the local farmer and the local farmer's work in bringing forth results from the standpoint of cattle breeding.

Mr. Lowden said that the National Association cannot be of value to breeders, except through the strong state association. The members of that association are much closer to the breeder than are the members of the National Association. The state association knows better the needs of the breeder.

He declared that the local associations make a strong state association. The farmers of the community must get together and work out programs—the strong local association makes a strong state association and the states make a strong national association.

Know Sacrifices.
Those farmers in the local co-operative movement know the sacrifices that must be made to get proper results. They are better fitted to enter into greater co-operative movements. They know better the needs of the greater co-operative movement.

Governor Lowden declared that he was much pleased with the progress made and the good work now being done by the local testing station in this community. "I consider that that the sum of \$175 per cow for testing purposes is not one bit too high," said Mr. Lowden. The locating of the testing station here was the best move ever made by the breeders of the state, and it will surely bring forth great results, he said.

In speaking of economic conditions, Mr. Lowden said, that while he was (Continued on Page Two)

OPEN BANK TO SAVE SPENDERS IN METROPOLIS

New York, Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—Men included in the category of "spenders" have been made the special subject of solicitude by the National City Bank. This institution has inaugurated an innovation in banking circles in the form of a "compound interest department" where accounts may be opened on deposits of \$1 or more, bearing interest at 3 1/2% compounded semi-annually. Except in name it is a savings department, but the New York state law restricts the use of that term to mutual savings banks.

The department is located near the Fifth Ave. shopping district.

"Of course, we welcome deposits from anyone," an official of the bank said, "but our particular object is to get deposits from the class of well-to-do people who have never saved systematically, and who feel themselves out of the savings bank class."

"There are a great many people with incomes ranging from \$2000 or \$3000 upward who never save anything. They are people of medium incomes, who have not learned how to be thrifty."

The compound interest department opened three days ago, and six hundred accounts already have been opened. From the fact that these averaged above the sum with which accounts generally are opened in savings banks, the officials felt confirmation had been given their belief in the existence of an undeveloped field in which systematic saving could be cultivated without competing with mutual savings institutions.

John V. Bally is Called Last Night

John Victor Bally, a resident of Dixon and vicinity for about 30 years, passed away at his home, 505 Rudolph street, Swissvale, last evening at 10:30, death resulting from an illness of brief duration with bowel trouble. The deceased was born in France Jan. 28, 1856. Funeral services will be conducted from the Preston funeral chapel Monday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. C. G. Unangst officiating and with interment in Oakwood.

Edwards to Convene Court Monday Noon

The January term of the Lee county circuit court will convene Monday. Judge Harry Edwards, who will spend the New Year's holiday in Dixon, will open court Monday, adjourning immediately. The grand jury will report Tuesday afternoon at 1:30, to begin their investigation. Judge Oscar E. Heard of Freeport will preside during the term. The docket is light and all cases will doubtless be disposed of in a few weeks.

CHURCH AND LIBRARY WERE ALSO VISITED BY CEMETERY THIEF

Bold Robber Worked in
Vicinity of Sheriff and
Local Cops.

A very unskilled stranger with an unusually big foot and with a very crude knowledge of robbery, visited three different places in Dixon Wednesday night, according to the police blotter. It was announced yesterday that the office in Oakwood cemetery had been entered and thoroughly ransacked without anything being taken.

Yesterday afternoon reports were made that two more places, one the Dixon Library across the street from the county jail and sheriff's residence and within one block of the police station had been visited by the hold intruder and about \$50 in money had been taken. It is quite evident that the stranger paid his last visit at the library and there decided that his venture was not meeting sufficient return and abandoned his tools. A long steel chisel and a heavy screw driver were left in the library. These tools had been used as jimmies in the three places reported burglarized.

Broke Into Church
Late yesterday the police learned that the burglar had entered the Presbyterian church across the street from the court house by jimmying a window on the east side of the building. The interior of the church bore evidence of a thorough ransacking, in which nothing was taken, and exit was made through a door on the west side.

The police believe that the stranger started his operations at the Oakwood cemetery office, then went to the church and from there visited the library. Entrance at the last place was gained by jimmying one of the windows at the entrance on Hennepin avenue. There was evidence of a general ransacking of drawers in the desks and \$50 was taken. Another sum of money in another drawer was undisturbed. Exit was made through one of the north windows.

Old Gold Watch Gone
At 11 o'clock this morning Chief Van Bibber learned that the robbery at the Dixon public library was more serious than as was at first suspected. Miss Morgan, librarian, reported that about \$50 in money had been taken from one drawer and a sum of money in another drawer was undisturbed. A gold watch of antique make and probably more than a hundred years old was also missed.

Custodian Arthur Carnes and wife who reside in the library did not hear the burglar at work in the building. The tools used in entering the library and Presbyterian church it was learned this morning were taken from the office at Oakwood cemetery. Pet. (Continued on Page 2)

CONSPIRACY IS ONLY TRUE BILL AGAINST SMALL

State Dismissed Other
Charges to Get Action
on Big Case.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Waukegan, Ill., Dec. 30.—The docket of the Lake county circuit court today is clear of charges against Gov. Len Small except nine counts of an indictment charging the Governor with Lieut. Gov. Fred E. Sterling and Vernon Curtis with conspiracy to defraud the state of \$2,000,000 during Mr. Sterling's term of office.

The action of the state in dismissing an indictment charging the Governor with embezzlement of \$500,000 during the last six months of his term as State Treasurer rather than go to trial with it first, removed the last of the charges of misconduct in office against Mr. Small.

The next step in the case will be taken here on Jan. 7 when motions by the defense for separate trials for Mr. Curtis and the Governor on the conspiracy charge will be heard. The trial date remains indefinite. Judge Claude C. Edwards had set the embezzlement case against the Governor for hearing on Jan. 9, but when the state dismissed this in order to try the conspiracy case first, the actual trial date was again postponed.

Johnson Explains "Jack Rabbit" Ball

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Ban Johnson, American League president, yesterday explained the reason for the "Jack rabbit" baseball of the 1921 season which zipped from the bat with such startling speed. The lively ball, which some players say was responsible for some of the sensational batting last summer, had been attributed by a portion of the enthusiasts to some sort of inside baseball intrigue.

The real cause, Johnson said, was simply that manufacturers were again able to secure good yarn for the spheres. When the war made it impossible to use the better yarn, a cheaper grade was substituted, he explained, and wrapped more tightly than had been the custom. When better yarn was again available the manufacturers failed, at first, to go back to the old method of winding.

Another cause, he added, was that the rubber covering of the cork cores was sometimes uneven in thickness so that when the batter connected where there was a good depth of rubber, the ball streaked away in sensational fashion.

Chili Breaks with Peru; Crisis Near

Santiago, Chile, Dec. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—Chile has broken off negotiations with Peru regarding the dispute over the provinces of Tacna and Arica, declaring that further exchange of views is useless. A note sent in reply to the latest Peruvian communication states that Chile has gone to the farthest possible limit in seeking an agreement, and laments the barrenness of her efforts.

All means of agreement has been rejected, the note states, Peru instead proposing general arbitration in vague terms and precluding recourse to international law.

The note summarizes the long drawn out controversy and concludes with the statement that the juridical consequences are that Chile is holding a plebiscite, which is the only means by which she can recover the disputed territory. Unless the Peruvian policy changes, the note states, it means that the Peruvian government accepts the results her present position may produce.

More Alienists in Burch Trial Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Los Angeles, Dec. 30.—Still more alienists are to be called, probably today, to testify for the defense in the trial of Arthur C. Burch, charged with the murder of J. Belton Kennedy.

Three already have taken the witness stand in his behalf and expressed the opinion that he was insane.

The prosecution also has under subpoena a number of mental experts with whom it plans to combat the testimony presented by the defense as to Burch's mental condition.

Amboy Man to Head Lee Co. Illini Club

The members of the Lee County Illini club, a permanent organization, met at the Y. M. C. A. this week and elected officers for the ensuing year.

The officers are:

President—Fred Vaughan, Jr., Amboy.

Vice President—Stanwood Griffith, Ashton.

Secretary—Mark Smith, Jr., Dixon.

Treasurer—Attorney Robert Warner, Dixon.

Clyde Garman of Polo was calling on Dixon friends Wednesday.

FINE PROGRAM FOR FARMERS' CO. MEETING

Sessions to Be Held in
Dixon Three Days
Next Week.

A very interesting program has been prepared for the meeting of the Lee County Farmers' Institute to be held at the Methodist church in this city next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and it is expected the sessions will be among the best in the history of the association.

The ladies of the various societies of the church are planning to serve substantial meals in the basement of the church. The following meals will be served: Supper Jan. 3; dinner and supper, Jan. 4 and dinner on the 5th.

PROGRAM

Tuesday, Jan. 3.

1:30 p. m.—Invocation and address of welcome. Solo, Elmer Rice.

2:00 p. m.—Horticulture. A. W. Brayton, Mt. Morris, Ill.

3:30 p. m.—Address. D. T. Thiers, Sublette, Ill.

Tuesday Evening.

7:30—Moving Pictures—State Farmers' Picnic at Dixon, 1921; other special features.

7:30—The Farmer in a Changing World, Senator H. C. Kessinger, Aurora, Ill.

Wednesday, Jan. 4.

10:00 a. m.—Invocation. Singing led by Elmer Rice.

10:20 a. m.—Practical Farming Methods. J. A. Long, Sublette, Ill.

10:50 a. m.—The Dairy. Prof. C. S. Rhodes, State University.

Appointment of Committees.

1:30 p. m.—Band concert, Compton Farmers' Band.

2:00 p. m.—Problems of Distribution. A. C. Everingham, Hutonsville, Ill.

Wednesday Evening.

7:00 p. m.—Movies. Special music, Elmer Rice leader.

7:45 p. m.—The National Cornucopia. A. C. Everingham.

Thursday, Jan. 5.

10:00 a. m.—Invocation.

Special.

Report of boys from State Fair School.

10:30 a. m.—Lessons from the Illinois System of Permanent Fertility. Dr. F. C. Bauer, State University.

Election of officers.

12:45 p. m.—Light-seeing trip.

2:15 p. m.—Live Stock Diseases. Dr. Burton Rogers, Chicago, Ill.

Adjournment.

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Club Women Meet in Chicago; Talk Plans

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Women prominent in club life in various parts of the country will gather here next week to attend a three day meeting of the Board of the General Federation of Women's clubs, which opens on January 4. On that night a dinner will be given the delegates by the state board of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs.

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, president of the General Federation, and other officers will also attend the executive forum of the state federation, called for Tuesday to consider the proposed measures to come before the constitutional convention, which will open next month at Springfield. Miss Grace Dixon, chairman, has announced that Congresswoman Ira C. Copley, and Judge Lewis A. Jarman of Rushville, Ill. were to be among the speakers.

Mother of Seven Died Last Night

Mrs. Minnie Thurm, wife of Fred Thurm, of 313 Sherman avenue, died at the Dixon hospital at 9:25 o'clock Thursday evening, death resulting from dropsy with which she had suffered for some time. Funeral services will be held at the Preston funeral chapel at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with burial at Oakwood.

Mrs. Thurm is survived by her husband and seven children: Walter of Nelson township; Mrs. Katie Trachsel, Mrs. Birdie McGlesney, Mrs. Mabel Wilson, Irene, Carl and Fred of Dixon.

Nine Dead in N. Y. from Poison Booze

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Dec. 30.—Police and prohibition officials early today redoubled their efforts to locate the source of poisonous bootleg liquor which has taken three more lives, bringing the total for the last six days to 9 dead and as many others blinded or seriously ill.

Alarmed at the widespread ravages of the poisonous liquor, Kings County grand jury has taken steps to ask the cooperation of other grand juries to root out and suppress the traffic in bootleg liquor.

Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago Grain Table

By Associated Press Leased Wire

WHEAT	1.15%	1.16%	1.13%	1.15%
May	1.06	1.06%	1.02%	1.03%

CORN

May	54%	54%	53%	53%
July	56%	56%	54%	55%

OATS

May	38%	39%	38%	38%
July	40	40	39	39%

PORK

Jan	14.95			
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LARD

Jan	8.57	8.70	8.55	8.70
May	9.00	9.07	8.95	9.07

RIBS

Jan	7.72	7.77	7.70	7.75
May	7.92	7.92	7.92	7.97

Chicago Produce

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Butter unchanged. Eggs unsettled; receipts 4402 cases; firsts 42%; ordinary firsts 37% 39; miscellaneous 40% 42; refrigerator firsts 35.

Poultry alive lower; fowls 16@25; springs 23; turkeys 38; roosters 16.

Potatoes steady; receipts 23 cars; total U. S. shipments 377; northern white sacked 2.90@3.20 cwt; Idaho russets sacked 2.25@2.45 cwt.

Chicago Livestock

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Cattle receipts 8000; no choice steers here, medium to good grades very dull, around 50 to 75c lower than yesterday; few best yearlings steady, top 8.00; bulk beef steers 7.25@7.50; she stock steady to lower, bulk 7.50@8.25; canners and cutters mostly 2.50@3.25; bulls strong; stockers and feeders slow to 25c lower; best shipping calves strong.

Hogs receipts 56,000; unevenly 25c to 50c lower than yesterday's average; trade moderately active at decline to shippers; bulk 180 to 200 pound hogs 7.00@7.15; 220 to 250 pound weights 6.50@6.75; pigs unevenly lower.

Sheep receipts 10,000; generally steady; some medium fat lambs 25c lower; fat lamb top early to packers 11.50; shippers top one load at 11.75; good to choice shippers 10.25; good to choice ewes 5.40; few at 5.50; one load feeder lambs steady at 10.50.

Chicago Cash Grain

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Wheat: No. 1 dark northern 1.18%; No. 3 dark northern 1.15%.

Corn: No. 2 mixed 46@48%; No. 3 mixed 47@48%; No. 4 mixed 45@47%; No. 2 yellow 48@49%; No. 3 yellow 47@48%; No. 4 yellow 46@47%; No. 2 white 48%; No. 3 white 47@48%; No. 4 white 46@47; sample grade white 44%.

Oats: No. 2 white 36@37%; No. 3 white 35@36%; No. 4 white 35@36%.

Rye: No. 3, 81; Barley 49% 49.58; Timothy seed 5.00@6.10; Clover seed 12.50@15.50; Pork nominal; Lard 8.70; Ribs 7.25@8.25.

Liberty Bond Close

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, Dec. 30.—Liberty bonds closed:

3 1/2% 94.56; First 4% 96.03; Second 4% 96.30; First 4 1/2% 97.02; Second 4 1/2% 96.62; Third 4 1/2% 97.50; Fourth 4 1/2% 97.22; First Victory 8 1/2% 100.08; Victory 4 1/2% 100.08.

East St. Louis Horses

By Associated Press Leased Wire

East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses: Good to choice draft \$140@160; eastern chunks \$35@50; choice southern horses \$45@50.

Prices 15 to 37 hands \$150@200, 15 to 16 hands \$90@130, 14 to 15 hands \$40@70.

Local Markets

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Butter 40; Eggs 40; Corn 36@38; Oats 28.

DECEMBER MILK PRICE

The price for milk delivered at the Borden milk factory during December will be \$3 per cwt with the usual addition or reduction for milk testing over or under 4 per cent butter fat.

K. C. GIVE DANCE.

The Knights of Columbus will hold a New Year's dancing party at their hall tomorrow evening. A feature of the evening will be the introduction of modern ball room dancing and the hall has been especially equipped for this.

Triplet sisters are teaching school at Fond du Lac, Wis.

FOR RENT—Large modern furnished room, suitable for two, in private family. Call phone K433. 30813.

FOR RENT—Garage and stable for two horses. Call at 610 Nachusa Ave., or phone X1123. 30813.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Partridge Rock cockerels, Box 79, Dixon, Ill. R. L. West Lincoln Highway. 11.

FOR SALE—XXth Century heating stove, in good condition; kitchen cabinet, reasonable. Call Y243. 11.

LOST—Diamond ring between 512 S. Ottawa and First street, or in Sterling's drug store and 519 Dixon Ave. Reward. Enid W. Harris, 512 S. Ottawa Ave. Phone Y588. 30813.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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Society

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ENTERTAINED AT OXNAM HOME

Last evening Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and Mrs. E. R. Oxnam delightfully entertained at home for Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bartlett, who were en route for Salt Lake City, Utah. Mr. Bartlett and Mrs. Oxnam are brother and sister.

ATTENDED COUNTRY CLUB DANCE AT MORRISON

Among the Dixons in attendance at the party given by the Morrison Country Club Wednesday night were: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Oxnam, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pincey, Dr. and Mrs. Willard Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Standfield, Judge and Mrs. John B. Craibree, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donichy, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Miller, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Kahler, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roe, John Roe, Miss Katherine Durkes, Leona Durkes, Winston Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rowland.

MRS. C. E. HILL TO MONROE

Mrs. C. E. Hill will go to Monroe, Wis., to spend the New Year's with friends and relatives, returning some time next week.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION OFFICERS, O. E. S.

The officers of Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S. will hold a public installation this evening in Masonic hall.

CHILDREN'S PARTY WAS GREAT SUCCESS

The first annual Children's party sponsored by the Knights of Columbus for the children of St. Patrick's parish held last evening in Knights of Columbus hall proved an unqualified success. There were more than three hundred children present, and many of more mature years.

The grand march for the evening was supervised by Miss Emily Clark and Eddie Condon. At the conclusion of the march the children were told to circle round the hall and in the center of the hall was a large flag which began to be agitated, swaying to and fro, and finally from the flag dropped pretty balloons, dear to the heart of every child, and when the youngsters noted this, there was a great scramble for the toys. If there had been any restraint before, it was dissipated now.

Included in the ladies who assisted in supervising the games and who assisted generally during the festivities for the evening were Mrs. M. J. McGowan, Miss Lally and Miss Helen Parker and others. Everyone present had a paper cap and the scene soon presented a company of merry, contented children interested in the games and dancing. Miss Ethel Gorham, Lucile Conley and Ray Curran supplied the music for the evening.

During the intermission in the dancing very nice refreshments of ice cream and assorted cakes were served. The evening will long prove a happy memory in the minds of the little folks present and also to the older people. The Knights again proved royal entertainers.

H. B. CLUB MET

Mr. and Mrs. George Gall, of Milwaukee, formerly of Dixon, were honored guests at the regular meeting of the H. B. club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peiper, on First street. Other guests were Mrs. Ruby Ayres, J. P. McIntyre, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker. Light refreshments were served.

CHRISTMAS PARTY VERY SUCCESSFUL

The holiday party given by the members of the Dixon Country club at Rosbrook hall last evening proved one of the most successful parties of the mid-winter season. There were present about two hundred and fifty guests, all greatly enjoying the dancing, during the evening. Sterling and Morrison were towns sending their quota of guests. Many students home for the holidays, were guests.

The hall presented a most attractive appearance, a huge Christmas tree handsomely trimmed and illuminated gracing the center of the floor, and the other decorations being in keeping with the Yuletide season. Various lovely screens were used effectively with rugs and palms in obtaining a delightful result. At 11 o'clock confetti was thrown by the guests. During the evening punch was served. "Exceptionally enjoyable" was the expression most often heard in describing the party of last evening by the guests.

MRS. LEYDIG'S PUPILS GAVE RECITAL

The pupils of Mrs. Louis Leydig who take instrumental music, gave a recital at her home yesterday afternoon, there being present about sixty-five. The Leydig home was prettily decorated in the Christmas decorations. The program lasted about an hour and a half, and was very much enjoyed. There was a tree and a grab bag and delicious refreshments were served. Everyone present had a most enjoyable afternoon.

FOR N. Y. GUESTS

Mrs. Emma E. Krass entertained a few friends last evening with 500 in honor of her brother Charles H. Menon and his wife of Binghamton, N. Y., who are spending the holidays here.

Foster Mattern, of Franklin Grove, called on Dixon friends Thursday afternoon.

CHURCH AND LIBRARY WERE ALSO VISITED BY CEMETERY THIEF

(Continued from Page 1)

or Duffy, caretaker at the cemetery identified the screw driver and chisel in the library as belonging to the equipment and taken from the office.

Curtis Rice reported to Officer John Winters last night, that a man attempted to enter his home Thursday morning about 2 o'clock. The stranger was wandering about the house when his actions were discovered by Mr. Rice. The stranger was frightened away and was last seen going in the direction of the cemetery. The police are of the opinion today that the work was that of a tramp.

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Friday.
W. C. O. F.—K. C. Hall.
Friday, Dec. 30th.
Dorothy Chapter O. E. S.—Public
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Monday.
Ladies of G. A. R.—G. A. R. Hall.
Wednesday, Jan. 4, 1922.
Dixon Relief Corps—Special meet-
ing G. A. R. hall at 8 o'clock.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 2.

Teach me your mood, O patient stars
Who climb each night the ancient sky,
Leaving no space, no shade, no scars,
No trace of age, no fear to die.

CLY ALTY CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY—

The members of the Cly Alty club and families enjoyed their Christmas party on Tuesday evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kennedy. Beautiful Christmas decorations were used throughout the house. It proved a most delightful evening with the Christmas tree with an exchange of gifts and the grab bag which was a source of much amusement. Mrs. Earle Sproul of Rockford, Mrs. Harry Major of Elgin and Mrs. Harry Touchout of Chicago, were guests for the evening. With the delicious refreshments and music the entire evening proved one of great enjoyment.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES DELIGHTFULLY OBSERVED—

Yesterday was the fifty-third wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson of 621 North Crawford avenue, and Adjutant Johnson of the G. A. R. and wife entertained at dinner at their home, Rev. H. G. Waggoner and wife, and Prof. Q. Reedy and wife of Hamilton, Ill. Mrs. Reedy is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Waggoner. Yesterday was also the twenty-fourth wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Waggoner, and the day proved a very happy if quiet one for both couples. Hosts of Dixon friends and hearty congratulations and good wishes for continued health and happiness to Adjutant and Mrs. Johnson who are hale and hearty, and to Rev. and Mrs. Waggoner.

PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED AT MISSMAN HOME—

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Milton W. Missman entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner at their home, 818 North Crawford avenue. The guests included Judge Robert H. Scott and daughters, Miss Mary Ransom, Miss Leva Missman, who is home from Illinois University, Miss Violet Flott, teacher at Oak Park, and Miss Lora Scott, home on a week's vacation from musical college. After the scrumptious of Dixon friends and an old fashioned spelling contest were enjoyed. The latter was spirited, Miss Leva Missman winning the prize, missing only three words out of ninety.

DIXON DELPHIAN MEETING—

The Dixon Delphian Chapter met in regular session Tuesday evening, Dec. 27th. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. McWethy, followed by roll call by Miss Meppen. After all business was taken care of, the lesson for the evening was begun, this being in charge of Mrs. Dorrance Thompson. The several reports were: Causes of the Peloponnesian War, Progress of the War, Sparta and Thebes, Philip of Macedonia, Alexander the Great, and the Effects of Alexander's Conquests. The lesson was very interesting as well as instructive. Following the lesson the president read a very good letter, from the Delphian Society, addressed to all Delphian chapters. The topics for the next lesson were assigned by Mrs. Ballou. Following this a motion was made to adjourn.

ANNUAL NEW YEAR'S PARTY BY ELKS—

The annual New Year's party given by Dixon lodge of Elks, will be held

Constant Reading, Writing or Sewing

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Comrades are extended a hearty invitation to be present at the meeting.

DINNER FOR CADET LLOYD RICHARDSON—

Miss Isabelle Fry last evening entertained at the Nachusa Tavern with a dinner in honor of Cadet Lloyd Richardson of West Point, N. Y., Miss Alice Richardson, and their cousin, Beverly Richardson, of Chicago. There were eight guests. After the dinner a theatre party was formed and the picture at the Family theatre enjoyed.

ENTERTAINED AT GARDNER HOME—

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gardner of North Galena avenue, entertained at dinner Christmas day sixteen relatives. The table was prettily decorated with Christmas greens and Christmas flowers. Afterward a social afternoon was spent.

GOLDEN RULE CLASS TO MEET—

The Golden Rule class of the St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet on Tuesday evening with Miss Marjorie Slothower. At this time Misses Rose and Florence Rudolph will be assisting hostesses.

WERE GUESTS AT HOME IN DIXON—

Mrs. G. Shuler and daughters, Ruth and Lisa Delp, of Sterling, Mrs. Addie Donichy and daughter, Anna, of Morrison, Mrs. Anna Miller and Ralph Donichy were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donichy in Dixon for Christmas.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER LAST EVENING—

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoberg entertained at dinner last evening, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hoberg, and daughter, Pauline, and Mrs. Charles Boers and children.

IF YOU ARE WELL BRED—

You will always write an acceptance or regret to an invitation. You will not abbreviate street names or numbers on an invitation. You will always have the prefix "Miss" on your calling cards, if you are unmarried.

MYSTIC WORKERS TO ROCK FALLS TUESDAY—

The Mystic Workers at their last meeting accepted an invitation of the Rock Falls lodge to attend the next regular meeting next Tuesday evening. Will all members who expect to go please notify Will Lohr not later than Saturday.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER LAST EVENING—

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Harvey entertained fourteen guests at dinner last evening. The party afterward attending the Country club party at Rosbrook hall.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER YESTERDAY—

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrington entertained at dinner yesterday for Mr. and Mrs. William Stabler of Rock Island.

DAY AT LINCOLN HARTZELL HOME—

Mrs. T. E. Hults, and son Harold, Mrs. A. E. Elliott, and Mrs. C. T. Rice, are spending the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Hartzell near Franklin Grove.

WERE GUESTS OF MISS SEALS—

Mrs. Samuel Haight and daughter, of Mendota, and Miss Annie Engleskirchen of Meriden spent yesterday with Miss Flora Seals.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 2.

Fiction fans, rejoice! The Telegraph will print a novel every two weeks. First starts Tuesday, Jan. 3. "The Snowshoe Trail," by Edison Marshall.

Victor Records for January go on sale Saturday at 8 a. m. at Theo J. Miller & Sons.

A triangle in the forest, primitive passion, twentieth century chivalry! Read "The Snowshoe Trail," starting in the Telegraph Tuesday, Jan. 3.

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NEWS FROM DIXON



ROWLAND'S TEAM IN LEAD IN DIXON C. C. BOWLING TOURNAM'NT

Rogers' Bunch Maintains Possession of Cellar Position.

The second round of the Country Club bowling tournament has been completed. Latest official reports give Capt. Rowland and his gang a lead of 474 pins over their nearest competitors. Rogers still holds down the cellar position but hopes to start climbing on the next round. As we didn't witness the games we don't know who to "raze" so here are the scores:

Rowland, Capt.	181	163	170
Ballou	170	181	163
Roe	163	170	181
Lund	170	163	181
Total	684	677	695
Grand total	2056		

Harms, Capt.	139	117	109
Raymond, Phil	134	167	133
Rice	128	105	121
DerKinderen	128	105	109
Total	1495		
Grand total	3163		

Oxman, Capt.	190	154	140
Lager	130	142	106
Smith	130	142	106
Crabtree	130	142	106
Total	1618		
Grand total	3137		

Hawley	116	130	81
Moss	147	150	180
Lynch, Capt.	114	98	146
Pitney	114	90	81
Total	1461		
Grand total	3019		

Raymond, E. B. Capt.	146	174	206
Martin	128	106	117
Newcomer	138	117	141
Durkes	128	106	117
Total	1624		
Grand total	2996		

Rogers, Capt.	163	170	223
Edson	110	120	93
Strong	124	45	66
Raymond, D. E.	110	45	66
Total	1335		
Grand total	2489		

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JUNIORS WON FROM ASHTON QUINTET, 17-8

But 'Nimble Dick' Was Considerably Mussed Up, He Says.

The Junior A basketball players won a victory Thursday afternoon when they met the Pioneers from Ashton on the Y floor and came out on top 17-8. The Juniors used nine players, giving every one who showed up in uniform a chance to get in the game. "Nimble Dick" Forrest played the star game for the As, getting 3 baskets during the time he was in the game. Segner-O'Malley rf. Conrad-Glen Glessner-Reagan lf. Bemis Weimann-Forrest c. Moore Miller rg. Nelson-Conrad Forrest.

Free throws—Segner 2, Reagan, Conrad, Bemis. Referee—Aschenbrenner. Umpire—Bremer. Timer—Geyer. Scorer—Kuhn.

Notes of the Game

"Nimble" says it was a regular foot ball game and that they mugged him up too much. Bemis pulled the prize boner of the game by shooting a basket for Dixon at the start of the second half. As a result of the game "Nemo" will soon be wearing a new gym shirt. His old one was almost wrecked.

PLANE SHED BARGAIN

LONDON—A large twin flight airplane shed, which is said to have cost more than \$150,000, has been sold at auction for \$25.

The naval salute to the British sovereign is 21 guns, except in India, where it is 121 guns.

Africa's coast line, if stretched out straight would reach around the world.

Broke His Vow

"After trying all remedies and doctors for stomach trouble for eight long years I decided I couldn't be helped and swore I would never take another dose of any kind of medicine, but when I saw what Mayr's Wonderful Remedy did for a friend, who also suffered from bloating as I did, I concluded to try it myself. It helped me at once! It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. All druggists.

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St. Paul Continues Commission Business

By Associated Press Leased Wire
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 30.—St. Paul will continue to operate under the commission form of government as



HERMAN KURTZISCH, Milwaukee, Wis.

"When it comes to eating, working and sleeping I'm like a different man from what I was a short time ago," said Herman Kurtzisch, 406 1/2 Norris Place, Milwaukee, with the Northwestern Life Insurance Co. in relating his experience with Tanlac.

"My whole system was about to give way as a result of two years' constant suffering from stomach trouble and I was so run down and worn out I was hardly able to work. I actually dreaded to eat, as after every meal I suffered so terribly from heartburn, and I was so nervous I got little rest day or night.

"If it hadn't been for Tanlac I'm firmly convinced I would have had to resign my place. It came to my aid in the nick of time and I am strong for it. Tanlac was worth at least fifty times what it cost me."

Tanlac is sold in Dixon by Thomas Sullivan and the leading druggists everywhere.—Adv.



The beauty of your hair is a treasure that you should zealously guard. Let your vigilance guide you to this parlor where our hair dressing methods will improve the quality and abundance of your tresses.

Taylor's Beauty Shop
Phone X-418
Dixon Nat'l Bank Bldg.

the result of the defeat of a proposed new charter at a special election held yesterday.

Although a spirited campaign had been waged for several weeks, a comparatively light vote was cast, and to this advocates of the change of commission government to the aldermanic system ascribe its defeat.

Opponents of the proposed new charter attacked what they termed its reactionary character in reverting to the ward representation plan. Approximately 38,000 votes were

cast, of which 16,123 were for the new charter and 21,549 against. But three wards out of the city's 12 voted in favor of the proposed charter.

SCHALK HAD OPERATION
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Litchfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—Ray Schalk, star catcher of the Chicago American League team, is recovering from an operation for the removal of his tonsils.

London has a girl goldsmith who fashions jewelry of rare beauty.

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WHEN WILL YOU DIE.

How long will you live? That ques-
tion silences us all. Firm in the brain
of every person is the conviction that
death is inevitable. There is no spe-
cial reason for believing so, except
precedent.We observe that all men who ever
lived have died. Hence, we reason,
our own deaths are a certainty.Not necessarily so! Is the startling
opinion of Sir Arthur Keith, of the
Royal College of Surgeons, of Lon-
don.Medical science some day may con-
quer death — enable people to live
eternally. This is not impossible, says
Keith.Civilization steadily increases the
average length of human life. Is there
an end to this extension? Why not?Prof. Keith tells the London cor-
respondent of the Journal of the Ameri-
can Medical Association:"Animals like the gorilla and an-
thropoid apes, that are nearest to
man, are old at 40. The aborigines of
Australia and Patagonia were old at
60. Human life is longer now."We not only live more years. We
crave more into each year. In an hour
we travel by airplane as far as our
ancestors could penetrate through
forests in a fortnight.Civilization has so conquered space
and time that modern man experi-
ences more life in a year than the pre-
historic Java ape Man, Heidelberg
Man or Neanderthal Man experienced
in 20 years.Still we are not satisfied. As a re-
action from the nervous tension of
modern existence, we seize, with a
shout, all promises of death-evasion
held forth by the monkey gland doc-
tors.While eternal life is not impossible
for man, it is undesirable, says Prof.
Keith."The desire for the extension of the
span of human life is a form of mad-
ness, and if people would think of the
condition of life they would never
entertain the idea."Keith's theory is that nature's
whole system of human existence is
to use young and vigorous lives and
kill off the old.Therefore, says he, the problem is
not to postpone death, but to prolong
the period of vigorous life. In other
words, to double the years of youth
and shorten the period of exhausted
enfeebled old age.A sound theory! Youth, not longer
lives, is what we all crave. It is
doubtful if the average person could
live more than two centuries without
committing suicide. Try to sit
through the same show 10 times—and
see how the show bores you.

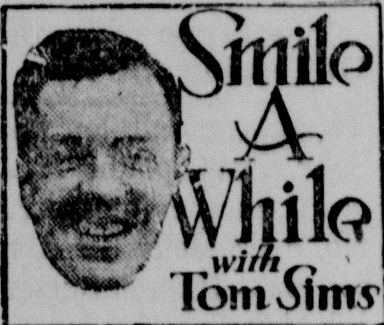
THE PHILIPPINE SITUATION

The Pacific islands treaty clears
the atmosphere in relation to the
Philippines. The United States can
give them independence at any time
now without any great fear that Japan
will gobble them up. She couldn't
do it without violating the treaty,
and the islands would not be worth
such violation, even to Japan. But
the Japanese menace has not been
the only danger. It will be in the in-
terest of the Philippine people if we
give heed to the Wood-Forbes report
and allow "the present general status
of the Philippine Islands to continue
until the people have had time to
absorb and thoroughly master the
powers already in their hands."This will not, of course, be to the
benefit of the comparatively small
percentage of Filipino politicians over
there who want more power than
they have, and want it now. But it
will be for the benefit of the masses
of the people of the islands. The
United States has given them schools,
capital and great uplift in the last
twenty-three years—something that
they would not have done themselvesand which no other nation would have
done for them. Not only has United
States control meant advancement or
education for the Filipinos, but it has
set a new example and a new pace
for other governments such as have
mandate or other control of distant
regions. It has given the world an
illustration of the fact that altruism
is better than exploitation, and that
in the long run it even brings better
economic results to all the parties
concerned.It is particularly unfortunate that
during his term the democratic gov-
ernor of the Philippines under Presi-
dent Wilson recommended "independ-
ence now" for the Philippines, creat-
ing a false hope among aspiring poli-
ticians. The recklessness of that rec-
ommendation is apparent from the
fact that independence at the time
the report was made would surely
have meant the taking over of the is-
lands by Japan. That menace is now
as good as removed, but nevertheless
it will be much better for the Filipino
people that the United States keep
supervision over them until they have
made further progress, as recom-
mended in the Wood-Forbes re-
port. A twenty-three year lesson in
civilization is not enough for any
backward people, and surely the Phi-
lipinos came under that classification
as long as Spain had control over
them.

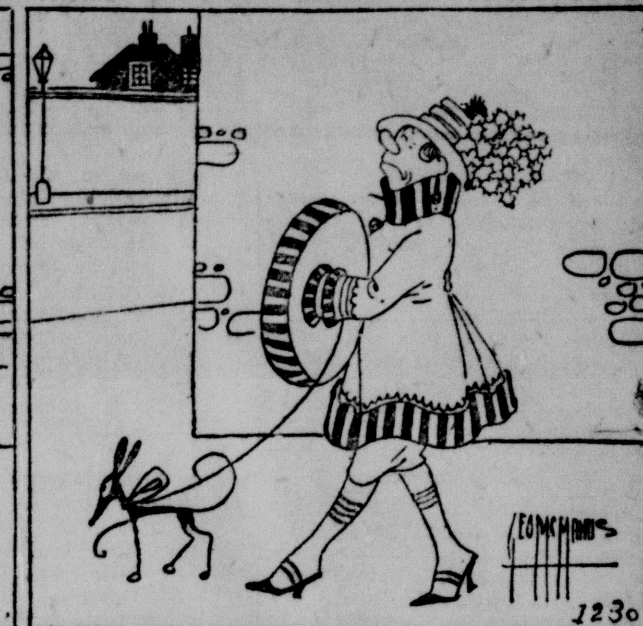
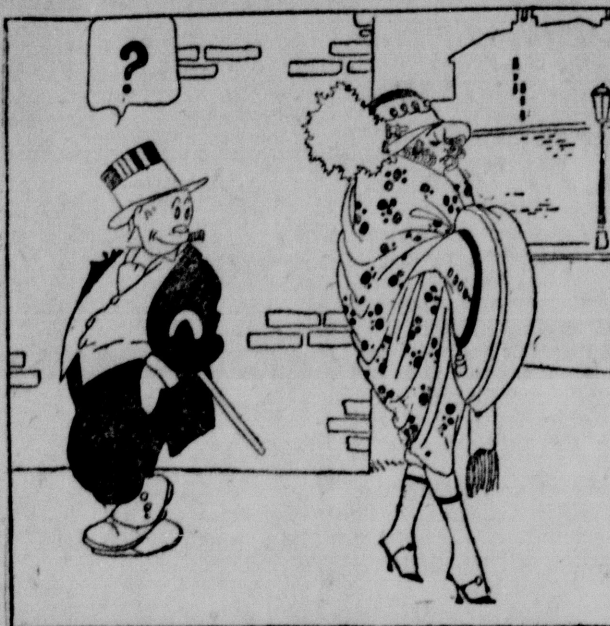
NEGROES

One in every ten Americans is a ne-
gro. That's shown by the census,
which found 10,381,309 negroes in the
whole country.Between 1910 and 1920, the net in-
crease of negroes in northern and
western states, by immigration from
the south, was only 400,000.This explodes the notion that there
was a gigantic, permanent migration
of negroes to northern munition fac-
tories during the war. Many moved
north, but they were few compared
with those who stayed south. That's
usually the way. See 10 sparrows
dead in front of your home and you
jump to the conclusion that sparrows
are becoming extinct.

CIDER

Cause for alarm. Census bureau
says farmers made only 13,365,805
gallons of cider in 1919, compared
with 32,583,998 gallons in 1909.This looks like one of the great
American industries is going to de-
cay. Figures for 1921 probably would
show a further falling off in cider.The little joker is that an enormous
amount of hard cider is made on the
sly and doesn't show up in the sta-
tistics. Almost anyone making hard
cider is apt to sample it frequently.
Hence the figures he furnishes are
bound to be muddled.Bet the man who has worn the
same overcoat 35 years never eats in
restaurants.There isn't any safety in auto num-
bers.They say spats are being worn.
But it may just be socks that have
been walked into spats.Some people must hang up bottles
instead of stockings.Washington has a Filbert street.
Must be where the nuts live.Wonder if all this mine trouble is
caused by the pool room signs "No
minors allowed."What's the worth chewing at all is
worth chewing well.This country spends more money
on face paint than on house paint.
Save the surface and you save all.Some people don't care what they
do and neither does anyone else.These advertised asbestos gloves
must be for home-brewers to wear
while pouring a drink.Fight in the Senate makes it look
like a League of Explanations.Bet the two north pole expeditions
get cold receptions.A self-made man brags, but a self-
made widow doesn't.These days nobody ever finds more
than a nickel on the sidewalk.A through train must be one that
has run off a trestle.Cattle growers want 20 per cent
tariff on hides. And the consumer
knows whose hide it will fall on.Health Hint: The man who says
nothing doesn't always mean it.The man on top is at the bottom of
a lot of things.Many more would be in the movies
if they had the face to do it.

BRINGING UP FATHER

Berton Braley's Daily Poem
A Table for PoetsOnce on a time there was a bard
Who made his tuneful lute to
twang,
But found the going rather hard
Till one day, growing wise, he sang:
"Perhaps my little ways are bad,
Perhaps you think I sing them
wrong,
But—none of them are very sad
And none of them are very long!"Ah then the people filled his hat
And danced to all the songs he
made.
The minstrel waxed exceeding fat
And joyfully his lute he played.
The king came by and heard the
lad
Carol his promise to the throng:
"None of my songs are very sad
And none of them are very long!""Oh wondrous minstrel," quoth the
king,
"Come to the royal court and sing
They deathless lyrics unto me!"And so in silk the bard was clad,
His verses rang the well-known
gong.
For none of them were very sad
And none of them were very long!
He sang of love and war and work,
Of little things that men hold dear,
Gay songs wherein the tear-drops
lurk,
Grave songs with smiles behind the
look.But all his many lyrics and
A spirit unafraid and strong,
And—none of them were very sad
And none of them were very long.

ENVOY.

Hear, then, this poet's epitaph:
"He sang of Hope and not Despair,
Of how a man might bravely laugh
Through all the woes that he must
bear;
He made a dull old world seem glad
With bits of simple dauntless song,
For none of them were very sad
And none of them are very long!"

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DON'T BE POISONED—HERE'S WAY TO AVOID IT

Common Sense Ways to Keep Well

Some care and common sense easily
would avert most cases of accidental
poisoning.All poisonous medicines are so label-
ed by the druggist or physician. If
the user transfers a poison from one
bottle to another, he should also trans-
fer the label.The top shelf of the medicine cabi-
net is a good place to keep poisons.
Here they should be beyond reach of
children.Most poison bottles nowadays are
provided with prickly stoppers so they
may be identified in the dark. But the
best safeguard of all is to tie the cork
in the bottle so that to get it off re-
quires light and a few minutes' time.Delay in poisoning is usually disas-
trous. A doctor should be summon-
ed immediately but while awaiting hisarrival, first aid should be given.
Administration of an emetic is the
first thing to be done. Tickling the
throat with finger or feather or
drinking a large quantity of warm
water will usually induce vomiting.In case of poisoning from corrosive
poisons an emetic is not the best
treatment. Corrosive poisons are sul-
phuric acid, hydrochloric acid, nitric
acid, caustic soda, potash and lye.Treatment for this sort of poisoning
should be: Neutralize the poison by
giving an alkali as soda, or soap for
acid poisoning and strong fruit juices
containing acid for alkali poisoning.
Give a large quantity of some vegeta-
ble or animal oil, as olive oil or cas-
tor oil, to dilute and soothe the burned
inner parts. Finally give stimulants,
as strong tea or coffee or aromatic
spirits of ammonia."A man makes the best boss," said
284 out of 290 women questioned. But
all it proves is that 16 were married.Some people notice the days are
getting longer while others notice
the nights are getting shorter.

EVERETT TRUE

By CONDO



THE ELEVATOR

BY DR. WM. E. BARTON.

I desired to see a man who had an
office on the unteeth floor of a
Tower Babel in a great city.And I entered the building on the
ground floor and there was a lad in a
flivver that ran from the sub-base-
ment to the roof.And I entered into his jitney and
waited for him to start. And others
entered, until the car was full.And certain of the passengers got
off at the second floor and some at
the third floor and some at the fifth
floor and some at the ninth floor.And by the time we arrived at the
unteneth floor, I had the bus almost
wholly unto myself; save that the lad
who operated the machine was there
also.Now I tarried in the office of the
man whom I went to see, for the
fourth part of an hour for I was busy
and he pretended to be; and I did that
for which I came and I pushed the
button and the same airship ascend-
ed to carry me down.And I entered into it and prepared
to drop unten floors. But I had no
such experience. For, albeit I started
down alone, yet was the car full when
we reached the ground floor.For there were certain that got on
at the eleventh floor, and others at
the ninth and divers others at the
fifteenth below.And I said within myself, behold
there is something to consider in the
habit of an elevator; for when it as-
cendeth it doth stop to let men out at
nearly every floor and takerh but few
unto the top.Whereas when it descendeth it
gathereth many from all elevations

WILLIAM E. BARTON.

and bringeth them down to one com-
mon level.And I said within myself, thus is
it in life. As men ascend, they mea-
sure their own progress upward in
achievement and virtue and many are
content to dwell a very little way
above the level of the earth and others
attain unto a little greater
height and only a few reach the top
floor of goodness or success.But when men descend they tend
to reach one common level of failure
and debasement!

CONFESSIONS OF A MOVIE STAR

CHAPTER LX
SOME ADVANCES FROM
McMASTERS"Twinkle, twinkle! Little Star!"
Thus McMasters greeted me at
breakfast. He, as the producer, and
I, as the star had places at the head
of the camp table.I smiled at the quotation and felt
myself a hypocrite. It was a most
uncomfortable feeling. The man's
humor was banal "smarty" talk and
as old as the hills. Did he think any
silly remark would please a little
girl like me?And because I smiled, as if it were
the first time I ever had heard the
quotation instead of the thousandth,
I started the day out of tune with
myself and rebellious.I began to loathe McMasters. Not
that he ever had been other than out-
wardly respectful. I loathed him on
account of the gossip about him. I
loathed him because Ginevra had linked
my name with his and because
Dick had listened to her. I loathed
him most of all because he and men
like him had taken loyalty and trust
out of my definition of love."Love passes." He—and men like
him—flattered silly women who be-
lieved them and who infringed upon
the rights of other women, and con-
sidered themselves clever instead of
wicked.To be sure, they lost out in the
end like Rosalie Bruce of the red
dresses. But meanwhile devoted little
wives and loyal little mothers had to
suffer—and pay.And the trespassers—when they lost
out with one faithless man, proceeded
to snitch some other and to despoil
the heart of some other helpless and
devoted wife.Loyalty and trust as a part of ideal
love which was some day to bless me
faded from my girlish dreams. I
knew at last what Mrs. Nandy long
had wished me to find out.I spoke to McMasters at breakfast
only when he addressed me.I had a headache. I hadn't slept
well on account of the birds. As soon
as the whippoorwills went to sleep,
the joys and robins woke up! Such
a chorus!Anybody could see I wasn't fit for
work, McMasters agreed. Then, he
and I would stroll up the mountain
stream. It was cool by the falls.
I shook my head and did not smile.
"Better think again, May. I've
some new books. I had my man
pack half-dozen in my luggage!"
"Books? That's different! I've
usually so little time for books!"
What possessed me to give Mc-
Masters an opening, I don't know.
My eyes met Dick's—he sat across the
table, and two covers away. Per-
haps I was defiant. Or perhaps Iwas made reckless by the supreme
hurt in the thought that Dick should
dare to associate me in his mind with
McMasters.Can one love and hate at the same
time, I wondered.(To Be Continued.)
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New YearIt's always a pleasure to greet the New Year. It's always a pleasure to hear
the new Victor Records—it's always a pleasure for us to play them for you. Come
in.

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Blossom Time—Medley Waltz	Joseph C. Smith and His Orchestra	18827	10
It's You—Fox Trot (from "Bombo")	Club Royal Orchestra	18831	10
Dapper Dan—Fox Trot	Club Royal Orchestra	18831	10
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Say It With Music (from Irving Berlin's "Music Box Revue")	John Steel	18829	10
If You Only Knew	William Robyn	18829	10
Molly-O (I Love You)	Charles Harrison	18829	10
Love's Ship	Ada Jones-Billy Murray	18830	10
When Francis Dances With Me	Billy Murray Ed. Small	18830	10
Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes	Peerless Quartet	18832	10
I Want My Mammy (from "The Midnight Rounders")	American Quartet	18832	10
Mandy 'N' Me	United States Marine Band	18817	10
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Sunday School 9:45. A. L. Wilson, Supt.
Morning service 10:45. Sermon by the pastor.
A cordial invitation is extended to you to come.

GRACE UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Rev. C. G. Unangst, Pastor
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. J. L. Weyant, Supt. We now enter upon a nine months' course of study on "Later Leaders and Prophets of Israel." The lesson for Sunday is on "The Revolt of Jeroboam." 1 Kings 12:1 to 13:6. Do not miss the first lesson for the new year. Bring your Bible. Study your lesson at home. If there ever was a time in either our church or national life, when every Sunday school teacher should do his very best to make his work a great success, it is right now. Come once and you will want to come often.

10:45 a. m. Sermon: "The Influence of a Devout Example." Luke 11:1, 6:20 p. m. Keystone League meeting. "Better Christian Endeavor Societies." 1 Cor. 15:57, 58. Fred Mc Cardle, leader.

The pastor will meet the boys and girls at the same hour. The ten commandments will be reviewed. Mrs. Unangst will tell the story about "The River That Ran Blood." 7:30 p. m. Song service and sermon on "The Lost Christ."

Let everybody start the new year right by going to church. We welcome you.

Let us have one large prayer meeting next Wednesday evening. The senior choir will meet after the prayer meeting.

PINE CREEK CHURCH OF THE BRETHRENS

Rev. J. W. Fyock, Pastor
The church that aims to serve the needs of the community.
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. David Stauffer, Supt.
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Installation services at this hour, when the newly elected Sunday School officers will be given their charge by the pastor.
Evening Worship at 7:30 when roads are fit.

FRANKLIN GROVE M. E. CHURCH

The worship hours of New Years Day will begin with the Sunday School session at 9:30. Mrs. Stewart's class will have charge of the opening exercises of the school. Let all Sunday School friends be present on time. The public worship hour at 10:30 with the sermon story for the children. The pastor will bring two New Year messages during the day. The morning theme "Surprises Along

ABE MARTIN



We might just as well have the open door in this country so far as burglars are concerned. There's many a lie spoken in an effort to be agreeable.

the Way," the text: And their eyes were opened and they knew Him and He vanished out of their sight." Luke 24:31. The Junior chorus will add a delightful message to this morning hour. These young people have certainly surprised the whole church, not only in the splendid quality of the music they are bringing, but in their fine loyalty to the morning service. The pastor is in position to whisper that the surprise endeth not yet. At the evening hour 7:00 o'clock we will have the privilege again of having our orchestra in a praise service. Those who miss this fine treat will be sorry. The evening sermon theme: "The Chained Course," the text: "For ye have not passed this way heretofore." Joshua 2:4. We extend a very cordial invitation to the community to enjoy with us the good things of this New Years day. Try our welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The stone church on the square
Rev. Jesse M. Tidball, Pastor
9:45 Sunday School. A new set of lessons beginning the New Year. Classes for all ages.

10:45 Morning Worship. The pastor will preach using an appropriate theme for the New Year. "The Old Year's Counsel to the New."
7:30 Evening Service subject "Resolutions."

The first day in January fortunately is Sunday, giving us an opportunity of starting the year right, by putting religion the first thing. Attend the church of your choice. Come to the Presbyterian, if you desire and you will be welcome.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Lloyd Warren Walter, Pastor
Saturday 9:00 p. m. Under the di-

rection of the Luther League we will gather to "watch out" the Old Year and welcome in the New Year.

Saturday 2:00 p. m. Class for religious instruction for young people. All are welcome.

Sunday Services.
9:15 a. m. Prayer service for God's blessing upon the Sunday School in the study of the lesson.

9:30 a. m. Sunday School. W. E. White, Supt. will be glad to welcome you and if you are a visitor to find a suitable class.

10:45 a. m. Regular services. Sermon: "His Name Was Called 'Jesus.'" 6:30 p. m. Luther League. Topic: "New Year's Meeting." Leader, Catherine Gibson.

7:30 p. m. Regular Services. Sermon: "The Acceptable Year."

CHURCH OF GOD

Union Hall, First St.
Rev. F. E. Siple, Pastor

10:30 Morning subject: "The Gospel of the Kingdom."
7:30 Evening subject: "The Spirit of God."

All are welcome.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Cor. Peoria & 3rd.

Rev. G. Carlton Story, Rector
First Sunday after Christmas.
8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Church School. Geo. Hawley, Supt.

10:45 a. m. Sung Eucharist and sermon. "In the Name of God: Amen."
Friday, Jan. 6, Feast of the Epiphany.

8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHRENS

Rev. J. J. Johnson, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00. Lesson theme: "The Revolt of Jeroboam."
Preaching Service 11:00.
C. W. Meeting 7:00.

Sermon 7:30.
Sunday is the beginning of a new year. Will not everyone make a special effort to be present. The pastor will have a message appropriate for the New Year, and the advanced classes will choose their teachers. All

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Saturday, December 31st is the opening day for the January Victor Records at Theo. J. Miller & Sons. 11

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teachers of last year still have charge of classes Sunday.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. G. A. Graf, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30.

No other services here in the morning but in the evening at 7:30.

Services at Franklin Grove 10:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Aubrey Shannon Moore Minister

9:45 a. m. Sunday School with a class for you.

10:45 a. m. Communion Service.

6:30 p. m. Epworth League service of special interest to all young people.

7:30 p. m. Evening sermon. A visit to a Bethany home. This sermon has been requested by members of the congregation who heard two other sermons preached on the same theme two weeks ago.

7:30 p. m. Thursday the prayer service next week will be held on Thursday evening instead of on Wednesday. Please note the change.

A home like church invites you to all services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

316 First St.

Regular service Sunday morning, Jan. 1, at 11 o'clock. Subject: "God."

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

The reading room is open each week day from 2 to 4 except holidays. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

NOTICE

City subscribers who are in arrears are asked to call at the Evening Telegraph office and take care of their account before January 1st, 1922. If

PUNISH JAY WALKERS

MELBOURNE—City council has issued an order to the police to arrest and prosecute all persons who cross streets diagonally.

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ATHLETES VICTORS

OVER FREEPORT IN

GAME WEDNESDAY

Local Basket Shooters

Keep Up Fine Pace

They Have Set.

The Freeport Independents were defeated by a score of 17 to 14 at the hands of the Dixon Athletics Wednesday in a hotly contested game at the K. C. hall. Both teams used substitutes to reinforce their weak spots and the fans were accorded a real evening's entertainment. The visitors have been defeating every team they have met thus far this season and for a time Wednesday evening it appeared that they would be equally as successful here.

The Athletics expect a real contest from the start and kept close watch on the visitors. Freeport has a strong team and they play a very good game. The curtain raiser between the Athletics second team and the Stultz Tigers resulted in a victory for the former by a 15 to 11 count. In the main game of the evening, the teams lined up as follows:

Dixon: Green, rf; Poole, lf; Hintz, c; Allen, rg; Weiner, lg.

Freeport: Edwards, rf; Wisdom, lf; Wilson, c; Hartman, rg; Folgate, lg.

Substitutes: Hoes and Vaughan at forward for Dixon, and Rosine for Freeport. Referee: Bowers.

Friday evening, a special game has

been arranged at which time the alumni of Dixon, composed of former high school students, now in college, who are home for the holiday vacation will clash with the A. C.'s first team at the Knights of Columbus hall. Dancing will follow the game.

\$400,000 Blaze in

Des Moines Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Des Moines, Dec. 30.—Swept by a fire believed to have been caused by defective wiring, Davidson Bros. produce house, a four-story brick building covering a quarter of a block, was partly destroyed with a loss estimated at \$400,000 between midnight and 2 o'clock this morning.

The fourth floor and part of the third floor of the building were burned away, while the entire stock of vegetables, fruit and candy, valued at \$250,000, was destroyed by fire, smoke and water.

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QUIT TOBACCO

So easy to drop Cigarette,

Cigar, or Chewing habit

No-To-Bac has helped thousands to break the costly, nerve-shattering tobacco habit. Whenever you have a longing for a smoke or chew, just place a harmless No-To-Bac tablet in your mouth instead. All desire stops. Shortly the habit is completely broken, and you are better off mentally, physically, financially. It's so easy, so simple. Get a box of No-To-Bac and if it doesn't release you from all craving for tobacco in any form, your druggist will refund your money with

the cost.

Apply thickly over throat—cover with not flannel.

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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

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GOOD ROADS SOCIAL AT NELSON WAS BIG COMMUNITY MEETING

O. F. Goecke of Dixon
Office Delivered Fine
Address.

Nelson, Ill.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warner entertained a party of friends at Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lehman were entertained at the home of Mrs. Maggie Shoaf.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Peterson had as their guests, the L. Coppitelli family and Mrs. P. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Frerichs spent Christmas in Rockford.

Mrs. Lavina Hall and son are visiting at Eagle Grove, Iowa.

Earl Peterson is spending the holidays in South Pekin.

The Clyde Funk family spent Christmas at Mrs. Funk's parents, who reside north of Dixon.

Miss Ruth Longabaugh of Sterling, is spending the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Longabaugh and children spent Christmas in Sterling.

Station Agent Zidenchek spent Christmas at Dundee, Ill.

Charles Moats, Paul Young, Walter Smith and A. W. Peterson went to Manlius on a rabbit hunt Christmas and came home at noon with forty.

The Gus Bartholomew family spent Monday in Dixon at the Robert Bartholomew home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kreger spent Christmas at the Jake Huyett home in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young ate Christmas dinner at the Clarence Wilson home in Dixon.

C. M. Vician ate Christmas dinner with the John Gale family.

Charles Trotter has returned from a visit with relatives at Taylorville.

IF STOMACH IS BAD LET DIAPEPSIN END GAS, INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" has proven itself the surest relief for indigestion, gas, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only few cents at drug store. Millions helped annually.—Adv.

THE NEW DOLLAR STOCK

The Dixon Loan & Building Association

has something new to offer in the way of

INVESTMENT STOCK

On December 1st it began issuing the new DOLLAR STOCK. That is, a dollar a month carries one share of stock, and if continued to maturity (about seven years) brings in One Hundred Dollars.

Any amount from one dollar to 100 dollars may be paid in monthly. It's just a matter of how much you decide to pay in each month.

But to some people who are not familiar with building and loan associations it might be well to tell what they are, what they do and how they do it.

A building and loan association is a cooperative savings institution organized to help you get your own home in an easy way; to take care of your savings and give you adequate interest on those savings while you are saving them.

The theory of the building and loan associations is very simple and easy to understand. Its object is to accumulate funds to loan to its members. Its savings department pays on small savings a rate of interest ordinarily received only on large investments and its loan department makes loans costing borrowers considerably less than generally paid in the open market. The theory is to collect money in small amounts from a large number of people and loan it to others on real estate or its own stock as security. The money so borrowed is paid back in regular, systematic, compulsory monthly installments, with the necessary interest.

SOME OF ITS USES

Here briefly are some of the various uses to which a loan association can be put: Many wise parents have subscribed for stock as savings accounts for their children. One father followed the plan of giving each child one share at birth. Another is paying a sum equivalent to 10 cents a day for his baby boy. By the time the boy becomes 21 years of age the father will have laid away \$1,400.00 with which to send him to college.

Ambitious young people join an association as the easiest and quickest avenue for accumulating money for a start in life; to open up a business, to make the first payment on a home, or what not. The cautious, desiring to lay by some money for a rainy day, find it comforting an advantageous to use the association.

HELPFUL TO PROPERTY OWNERS

The property owner finds it helpful in numerous ways; if he has a mortgage on his property he can subscribe for stock with which to pay it off. If he owns a clear rented building it affords a means for investing the incoming rents, so that they will earn additional profit. By this means many owners earn as much as 12 or 14 per cent on their buildings.

After all, loan associations do not do such wonderful things; it is the individual member who makes himself save. The associations give him the opportunity to help himself. The secret which makes possible the high interest rate on savings, low cost of loans and absolute safety is simply cooperation. Money invested in a savings bank earns for the bank just as much interest as money in a loan association earns the association, but in a bank the profits are divided between the owners and its depositors. Cooperation makes the association's depositors its sole owners and this assures to them all the profits their money earns.

THE DIXON LOAN AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION
ASSOCIATION BUILDING
119 Galena Avenue
Dixon, Illinois

THE AFFAIRS OF JANE



Looking for a Job

BY YOUNG

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire

WASHINGTON.—The first of the Root resolutions on the use of submarines providing for their operation under certain well recognized principles of international law was adopted in principle by the full committee of the Washington conference.

WALSBERG, COLO.—Military officials started mustering out the Colorado rangers on duty since the strike of the coal miners in the southern field began.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Wm. Lyon MacKenzie, elected premier of Canada on the liberal tidal wave at the general election December 6, took the reins of government from Premier Arthur Meighen, conservative.

WASHINGTON.—Varying duties on crude oil were proposed before the senate finance committee by spokesmen for Mid-Continent producers, and all duties were opposed by American producers operating in Mexico and representatives of various classes of oil consumers in this country.

WASHINGTON.—Three former German ships have been chartered to the American relief commission to carry food to Russia.

PITTSBURGH.—The Pittsburgh Coal Producers' Association declined to meet representatives of the United Mine Workers of America here January 6 to negotiate a new agreement.

CHICAGO.—Sears Roebuck & Co. reported the sale to Julius Rosenwald, president of the company, of certain of its Chicago real estate for \$16,000,000 and the gift of 50,000 shares of stock from Mr. Rosenwald.

WASHINGTON.—A copy of a contract entered into by 34 American manufacturers of fertilizer with the potash syndicate of Germany, by which the former bind themselves to purchase 75 percent of their potash requirements from the latter, was read in the record of the tariff hearings of the senate finance committee.

CHICAGO.—Operation of the packers and stock yards act will not begin before January 18, as a stay order effective until that date was granted by Federal Judge K. M. Landis.

DUBLIN.—Although no compromise between the opponents and advocates of the Anglo-Irish treaty in the Dail Eireann, has yet been attained, future plans to avoid wrecking the agreement were considered.

MOTHER, QUICK! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS WITH "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Hurry mother! Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. It constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "CALIFORNIA" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Adv.

O. H. MARTIN & CO

The Store of Quality

These Coats Are a Fine Example of Our End-of-Season Values

Haven't you often looked at a beautiful Winter Coat that appealed to you at first sight but whose attractiveness made you afraid to look at the price ticket?



The Coats in this group are of that sort, Coats with fine fabrics and correct styling you will recognize immediately and you need not hesitate to ask the price of any one of them. You will find the prices are greatly reduced and the Coats are priced in these lots at... \$9.95 \$19.50 \$27.50 \$37.50

Children's Coats

These range from age 6 to 14 and are of the celebrated and well known Wooltex make. Prices... \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 Now is an opportune time to select one.

Ladies' Fine Jumper Dresses in size 16. These are of poire twill, tricot and velvet and are extra good and tasty creations. Reduced from \$19.75 to... \$14.95

Bath Rugs of Quality

Regular Rag Rugs—24 by 48 inches, \$1.95; 27x54 inches... \$2.50 Terry Rugs in colors, very beautiful and attractive, 24x42 inches, at each... \$2.50 Ladies' extra heavy Winter Silk Hose in two tone colors, black and white, brown and gold, navy and gold, per pair... \$1.95 Wool Batts for Comforts—72x90 inches, the correct size for comforts, and so nice and soft and warm, each... \$1.95 Cocoa Door Mats—Just the right article outside the door to catch the mud and snow, each... 75c, \$1.25, \$1.75

O. H. MARTIN & CO.

THE HOME OF WOOLTEX

It Pays to Trade at Martin's

to employ 1,400 men within two weeks.

CHICAGO.—The strike of 6,000 Chicago members of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union was settled.

PARIS.—Premier Briand reiterated in the senate debate on the foreign affairs budget and reviewed reparations and the Angora treaty.

OAKLAND, CALIF.—The University of California announced that earthquakes may be predicted with the same precision as weather forecasts.

casts as a result of a discovery by Prof. A. C. Lawson, that earth movements are the antecedent as well as the consequence of earthquakes.

NEW YORK.—A gray haired woman and a 14 year old boy were added to the list of New York victims of poisonous holiday liquor.

Great novel every two weeks in the Telegraph. First comes "The Snowshoe Trail" by Edison Marshall, commencing Tuesday, Jan. 3.

William Cahill, Highland avenue has been quite ill for several days.

THE GREAT AMERICAN STORES CO.

STORE NO. 131
Corner First St. and Peoria Ave. Opp. Union State Bank
F. A. MULKINS, Manager
Corner of First Street and Peoria Avenue

FOR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1921

We take inventory Saturday night, Dec. 31st, and in order to reduce our stock we offer the following exceptional bargains. Take advantage of these specials and save money. We sell nationally advertised goods.

Pure Granulated Sugar, 18 pounds.....99c

Pure Refined Lard, 2 pounds.....23c

Pillsbury Pan-cake Flour	Pillsbury Buckwheat Flour	No. 1 Michigan Navy Beans	Famous Summer Sausage
Small pkg 15c Large pkg 45c	Small pkg 18c Large pkg 49c	5 lbs. 33c	22c 1b.

Swift's Wool Soap (only while it lasts) 2 bars...9c

Baker's Premium Chocolate, 1/2 lb. bars.....19c

Proctor & Gamble Luna Soap	Great American Coffee	X. L. Brand Coffee	Powdered & Fancy Japan Tea
10 Bars 45c	5 Lbs. \$1.61	5 Lbs. \$1.21	43c 1b.

Extra—P. & G. White Naptha Soap, 10 bars...58c

Favormor Nut Oleomargarine, 2 pounds.....46c

Pillsbury's Wheat Cereal	Weneta Cocoa	Borden's Condensed (Bars & Cubes)	Loaf Sugar
25c pkg	1 lb. pkg 27c	5 pkgs. 29c	3 Lbs. for 30c

Fancy Sugar-cured Bacon Squares, pound....16c

Quaker Bulk Rolled Oats, 6 pounds.....25c

Great American Flour	Fancy Sweet California Prunes	Fresh Baked Ginger Snaps	Chocolate Jello
24 1/2 lb bag 99c 49 lb bag \$1.95	4 Lbs. 50c	2 Lbs. 25c	5 pkgs 25c

Mr. Farmer: Bring in your Fresh Eggs. We pay highest Cash Prices.

Fresh Eggs	Fresh Country Butter	Pop Corn	Fresh Oysters
47c per doz	Per Lb. 41c	3 Lbs. for 23c	Per Qt. 61c
Fancy Empress Grapes	Lemons	Large Mammoth Celery	Fancy Eating & Cooking Apples
Per Lb. 29c	Per Doz 30c	2 bunches 25c	3 Lbs. for 30c

ZOELLER'S 5c-10c-25c & Variety Store

Pre-inventory Sale. We want to clear our shelves and tables to make way for new goods and there's only the way to do it. Prices below will show you how we propose to accomplish it.

Best quality 36-in. flannel-ette, yard.....15c	Snap mouse traps, 5 for.....10c
B o y s' knickerbockers. These go at 49c per pair or two pairs for.....59c	50c decorated salad bowls, large size.....39c
Regular 5c and 79c center pieces, dresser scarfs, table squares, slightly soiled; every one to go at.....29c	12x20 mirrors with white enameled frames, while they last.....\$1.79
Flannelette socks to be used as bed slippers or with rubber boots, pair....10c	Large white cups and saucers, complete.....19c
Children's woolen sleeping garments with feet...98c	Pure white enameled chambers.....59c
Men's white handkerchiefs.....5c	Corn poppers 35c, 40c, 50c
Aluminum table spoons, 3 for.....25c	Hair brushes, rubber set and waterproof, a wonder at.....\$1.00
"Never dull" butcher knives, 6 kinds.....59c	Linen envelopes, 6 styles, 25 in package.....10c
12-in. earthen mixing bowl.....50c	Whisk brooms, extra well made.....25c
	Galvanized wash tubs.....45c to \$1.00
	10-qt. blue and white enameled water pails.....\$1.00

Classified Advertisements

TELEGRAPH WANT ADS

No Advertisement Counted Less Than 25 Words

1 Time.....2c Per Word, \$.50 Minimum
 3 Times.....3c Per Word, .75 Minimum
 6 Times.....5c Per Word, 1.25 Minimum
 12 Times, Two Weeks.....9c Per Word, 2.25 Minimum
 26 Times, One Month.....15c Per Word, 3.75 Minimum

All Classified Ads must be accompanied by the money. There are no exceptions to this rule.

Card of Thanks.....10c per line
 Reading Notices in Society and City in Brief Column.....15c per line

Reading Notices.....10c per line

FOR SALE

A SNAP—Owner wishes to dispose of

farm as he wishes to retire and

move to a warmer climate. For sale

1500 acres, 200 broken—100 in winter

wheat, 100 in alfalfa, but winter

killed. Can easily be put in again and

is one of the finest crops in this coun-

try. 3 crops a year. 100 acres to be

put into spring crops. One-half of the

1500 is tillable, the other good for

grazing purposes. Burdick Bros. can

be reached at 23 h p steam rig

also have a 23 h p steam rig

good as new to irrigate this, which

can be purchased at a most reason-

able price, 1200 acres lie on the banks

of the Missouri river, mostly in 1/4

miles width. About 200 acres bench

land. This is 20 miles from an oil well

and good prospects for oil here which

has been proved by a geologist. All

kinds of machinery good as new.

Good bull-dogs, good work horses and

some cows which can be had way be-

low their real value. Located 10 miles

from Virgilio Station and 13 miles

from the town of Big Sandy, Mont.

Good school and Sunday School. Lots

of timber. This can be had for \$25.00

an acre and will make arrangements

with the buyer for tools, machinery,

horses and cattle. This is a good

dairy farm and a rare bargain to the

party who desires to take advantage

of an unusual opportunity. If you are

interested address H. J. H. no agents,

care Evening Telegraph, Dixon, Ill.

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FOR SALE—Tracts of land from 150

to 400 acres in Eastern Montana

and Northwestern North Dakota. All

good tillable land. Price ranges from

\$27 to \$50 an acre according to im-

provements. This is a real bargain.

Owner wishes to retire. Only one

quarter of this land is over 3 miles

from high school and college. This

is the right time to buy land in Da-

kota. Conditions have forced the

price of land down. Add C. J., care

this office. 29017

FOR SALE—Lot north of the Ennis

Hotel, Dixon, Ill. Size 60x100. In-

quire of Mrs. G. H. Squires, 320 Riv-

eride Drive, Glendale, Calif., or E.

C. Parsons, City. 30017

FOR SALE—Registered Holstein

bull. His dam was a 60 lb. cow.

Big heavy-boned. Located at Rock

Creek, W. H. Maxwell, Dixon, Ill. R.

1, Tel. 9111. 30216

FOR SALE—A few very choice Du-

roc boards priced low. Swartz &

Miller, Dixon, Ill. Phone 113. 28512

FOR SALE—Hay and straw, either

loose or baled. Phone 2119. Jacob

Alber. 29717

FOR SALE—Lucile Wolf neckpiece,

practically new. A bargain. Phone

1584. 923 W. Second St. 30613

FOR SALE—Bridge Scores. B. F.

Shaw Ptg. Co. 30613

FOR SALE—Nurses' Record Sheets.

B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co. 30613

WANTED

WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, hides, wool and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for or deliver promptly and guarantee satisfaction. Snow & Weinman. Phone 81. River St. 7417

WANTED—Subscribers to the Telegraph to pay their subscriptions at this office. Accounts cannot run indefinitely. By calling No. 5 you can ascertain the amount of your bill. Evening Telegraph. 11

WANTED—Applications for Farm Loans. Unlimited money at lowest interest rates, on long time and with liberal pre-payment privileges. Phone or write H. A. Roe Company, Dixon, Illinois. 30613

WANTED—Ladies learn hairdressing, marcelling, beauty culture and earn big wages in few weeks. Demand for hairdressers steady. Write Moler College, 105 S. Wells, Chicago. 30216

WANTED—You to look at the little yellow tag on your paper. It serves as receipt and tells you the date to which your paper is paid. 11

WANTED—Carpet weaving. A. C. Lease, 124 E. First St., Evening Telegraph Block. 11

WANTED—City subscribers who are in arrears to call at our office and take care of their account. Evening Telegraph. 11

WANTED—Mending and darning. Please give me a trial. Call at 415 W. 1st St. 11

WANTED—Washings to do at my home. Phone X1631 or call at 517 College Ave. 30613

WANTED—Bring your shoes to A. C. Lease to be resoled and your heels straightened. Prices reasonable. A. C. Lease, Evening Telegraph Block. 11

WANTED—A position as clerk by woman who can furnish good references as to reliability and integrity. Obliging and courteous. 22017

WANTED—To rent place for Ford coupe in the east end, neighborhood of Dement and Second St. Call Phone No. 5. 11

WANTED—To rent 2, 4, 5 or 6 room house, cottage or apartment. Address G. care Telegraph. 29717

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Two experienced wagon salesmen for established tea and coffee routes in Dixon and vicinity; only married men able to give bond, and with previous experience considered. Attractive salary and commission contracts to right men. Address J-43, care the Dixon Telegraph. 30613

WANTED—Barber, Palmer's billiard hall, Nelson, Ill. 30413

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, down stairs. Three blocks from business. Phone R407. 30513

FOR RENT—By Jan. 1, 4 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Furnace heat and electric lights. Call at 1213 W. 4th St. 30513

FOR RENT—3 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 415 College Ave. 30613

LOST.

LOST—On Monday a Greek Letter Fraternity pin. Engraved on back "J. E. Earle." Finder please return to H. G. Reynolds residence Tel. 1052. Reward. 30413

EAST JORDAN CHURCH SCENE OF CHRISTMAS PROGRAM OF MERIT

Choir and Children of Church Presented King's Welcome.

Jordan—The Christmas program given at the East Jordan church last Saturday evening was very fine and instructive. The title was, "The King's Welcome." The singing was done by the church choir. The parts of the shepherds and the wise men following the star, the carols, by the children, and the tableau of Christ in the manger was very fine. A little red church entitled Wildwood church was built on the platform, it being six by eight feet in dimension, the top of the steeple being 16 feet from the floor. Small Christmas trees were also placed on the platform. The star of the church and the manger were illuminated by electric light bulbs. The building of the church and the system of illumination were practically all done by Clarence Parks and Roy De-tweiler. By request this same program of song and readings will be repeated next Sunday evening, Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tillman and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Millhouse and daughter spent Christmas at the Fred Schallhaeume.

The Mound school gave a fine Christmas program last Friday evening.

Miss Mildred Motter left for her home at Leaf River on Friday evening to spend her Christmas vacation.

The high school pupils are having a holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Esrom Wade and son spent Monday in Polo.

Harold Hook who is home from the University of Illinois, following a long illness, does not expect to return for the winter term.

William Hackbarth and family were entertained at the Frank Millhouse home on Christmas.

Mrs. Peter Eckel and son Harold except to leave soon for a few months visit in Louisiana.

The Musgrave party of Indiana who have been visiting the different appointments of the Rock River conference will speak at the Penrose church on Friday evening, Dec. 30.

Grandma Davis who is past 86 years of age enjoyed Christmas very much, when her children came home to spend the year, with her. She is in fairly good health for her age.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pfundstein and daughter Frances accompanied by Mrs. Maggie Mensch and daughter Marie, were entertained in the Arthur Schell home on Christmas.

George Hey and family spent Sunday in Polo.

J. A. Gilbert and family and R. E. Gilbert and family were dinner guests at the M. Gayman home near Polo on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Beatty are spending the holidays with Mrs. Beatty's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beatty at Farmington, Ohio.

The choir, utain etao taoin et ine

PLANE SOLD FOR \$145
 UTEINHAIGE, S. A.—An Avro airplane in good condition was sold here on a court order for \$145, the highest bid offered by a Port Elizabeth firm.

A 1200-horsepower biplane recently completed contains a bathroom with full equipment.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



AUNT SARAH PEABODY, LEADER OF THE SOCIETY FOR SUPPRESSION OF PIPE SMOKING, TODAY BROUGHT JAMES BARKMAN, THE WELL KNOWN REVENUE AGENT, TO TOWN TO PUT DOWN THE TRAFFIC IN HOME BREW.

BY STANLEY

OAK FORESTERS ENJOYED MANY HOLIDAY FETES

Activities of People in Community During Yuletide.

Oak Forest.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Friederichs and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friederichs were dinner guests Christmas at the Herman Friederichs home in Sterling.

Bert Brooks, of Dixon, was a Christmas guest at the John Boucher home.

Carl Sartorius and family, of Amboy, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sartorius.

Lester Hoyle and family spent Christmas in Sterling with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lawrence and with Mrs. Edith Fenton. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alva Boyer, the Jack Lawrence family of Nelson and John Cannon, wife and son. Mr. Lawrence is feeling as well as could be expected and was able to sit up to the table for his Christmas dinner.

The continued cold weather has made the ice across the river fairly safe to cross on.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Missman and children enjoyed a family party on Christmas at the Oscar Missman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harms are the parents of a daughter, born Christmas day.

Mrs. Henry Sartorius, who has been quite ill is much improved in health. William Sartorius had a very bad attack last week but is better now.

Roy Quaco and family have been ill with colds. Grandpa Holtzhaus is also under the care of a physician. Arthur Missman and family visited

the latter's sister, Mrs. Otto Oberg in Polo Saturday.

The Arthur Lievan family spent Christmas at the Frank Becker home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Becker, who moved to Ladysmith, Wis., last fall, write that they are much pleased with their new home and find themselves in a very pleasant and sociable neighborhood.

The Oak Forest school with Miss Catherine Tyne as teacher, entertained Friday evening with a very interesting program which was very well rendered. A prettily decorated Christmas tree added a festive touch to the occasion and Santa with his pack arrived at the proper moment, with a toy for each good little girl and boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harms entertained at Christmas dinner the following guests: Benjamin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chicago, Miss Mable Smith who is attending college at Champaign. Miss Esther and Hubert Smith.

Miss Geraldine Langford who teaches school at Walnut, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Paul Harms and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurtzrock are the grandparents of twins, a boy and a girl, born Christmas day to Mr. and Mrs. William Kurtzrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bott entertained from Sunday till Tuesday, the latter's sister, Mrs. Morgan, of Prairieville, her son Chester Morgan, his wife and little daughter Virginia.

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Five Families There Go Away to Spend Winter Season.

Steward, Ill.—Mrs. Jay Ackland and daughter, visited her mother one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Titus were here from Flag on Wednesday of last week.

Robert Phillips, of Dixon, was here Thursday meeting old friends.

Mrs. Lucy Wagner has closed her home for the winter and will spend the winter months with her children and relatives.

The Brotherhood club will meet at the church on Thursday evening.

Charles Clingdinning was entertained over Sunday at the W. A. Foster home.

Miss Marjorie Cook is spending the holidays at the home of her parents.

Miss Temina Hilland is here spending the vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Ella Shearer spent Christmas with relatives at Cullom.

Samuel Barlett visited his daughter in Monmouth Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. J. M. Durin went to Chicago on Friday for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bowles and Granville Ruckman spent Sunday with Creston relatives.

John Whetson was here from Chicago over Sunday.

Mrs. Preston and Lucinda are visiting in Paw Paw.

Rev. F. J. Day will attend the community dinner in Scarborough Wednesday.

There are no less than five homes in Steward closed for the winter. Someone has said that Steward is becoming a summer resort. We wonder.

Kenneth Foster was here from Chicago Sunday.

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DETROIT—George C. Cuthaw, a Pittsburgh National second baseman, was purchased by the Detroit Tigers.
NEW YORK—Harry ("Slim") Sales, veteran left handed pitcher of the New York National League club, was unconditionally released.

NEW YORK—The National Collegiate Athletic association declined the invitation of the American Olympic Association to join it in future participation in Olympic games.

TERRA ALTA, W. Va.—Attending physicians announced that Bob Marlin, heavyweight boxer, injured

automobile accident Wednesday, should recover within two weeks.

DES MOINES—Colgate defeated Des Moines University at basketball 24 to 22.

PEORIA—Ever Hammer of Chicago defeated Johnny Noye of St. Paul in 10 rounds and Don Taylor of St. Louis scored a technical knockout over Jack Phillips of Cuba, Ill.

GALESBURG—Knox college defeated the University of Chicago basketball team 37 to 32.

NEW YORK—Columbia University's chess team defended its supremacy in the "C. H. L. P." league by defeating Harvard and won the championship for the sixteenth time.

LA SALLE, Ill.—Joe Mandell of Rockford bested Young George Dixon and Bud Taylor of Terre Haute defeated Harold Smith of Chicago, both went 10 rounds.

BOSTON—McGill University of Montreal defeated the Massachusetts Institute of Technology at hockey 8 to 2.

CINCINNATI—The University of Cincinnati defeated Yale at basketball 28 to 24.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind.—Purdue defeated Wabash at basketball 34 to 20.

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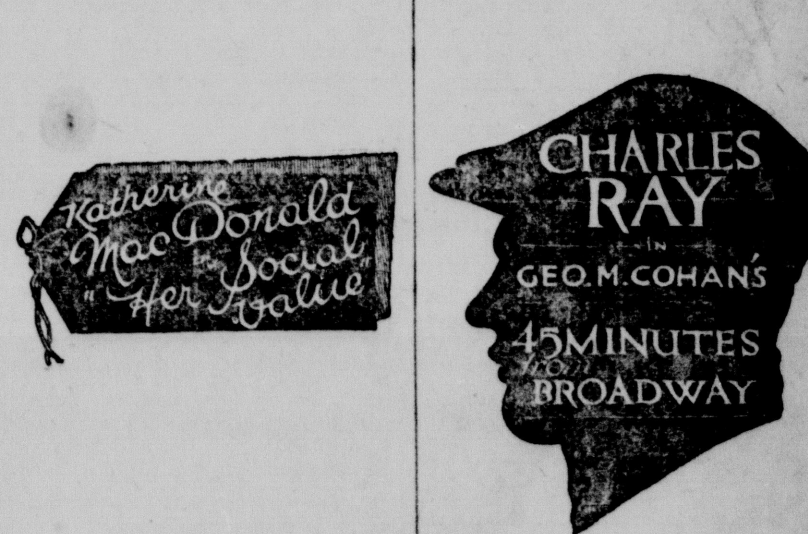
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